THE BIG STORE TACITY IN ITSELF 18"819"STS.

"But Two Weeks to Xmas."

Art Pottery, Cut Slass mps and Bric-a-Brac.

w arieties you'll find here will surely amaze you-50,000 square pace covered with them, an array so large, so dazzling, so besee it in its completeness. And the masterpieces of European

lerican artists sell here at prices no higher than other stores ask for drum variety. See here for instance;



reen underglazed deof field flowers with er effect, regular value pecial for 6.75

Lamp. . Wae lot of Royal Copper Lamps i a new squat shape, with gun-metal base and oil pots, best centre-draught burner, complete, with 10-inch hand-painted globe, worth from \$10,50 to \$14.00; your choice Monday 7.50 Beer Steins-Genuine imported German Beer Steins, in fancy designs, with German figures and inscriptions, fancy metal covers, worth 85c., 50c

Wrought Iron Piano Lamps. We just received a new assortment of latest patterns and deigns, with patent extension centre draught burners, and nicely finished. specially priced for Monday, 5. 75

Oriental Lamps. Wrought iron Ori-ental lamps for Smoking Dens, Corners, Oriental Rooms, 71th colored glass sides, fancy croll designs, worth 95c Vases. This line of goods being so exten-

sive and embracing so many prices, we have arranged six tables, each at a uniform price. in order to save time and make Christmas shopping more easy.
They are of Austrian and German manufacture, all hand decorated and gold lined, neat decorations in as-

LOT 1 consists of Vases worth from 39c. to 50c.; your 25c Lot 2, worth from 65c. to 50c \$1.00, your choice at ... Lot 3, worth from \$1,00 to 60c \$1.25, your choice at... Lot 4, worth from \$1.25 to 75c \$2.50, your choice at.... 75c Lot 5, worth from \$1.50 to \$2.00, your choice at 7.00 Lot 6, worth from \$2.00 to \$2.50, your choice at 1. 25

Plates-On one special counter arranged for

Another assortment, principally of French china, worth from \$1.00 to \$3,00, special at 50c each

Pots and Pedestals, English Majolica, in assorted shades, new-est low shape pedestals with "But Two Weeks to Xmas." "But Two Weeks to Xmas." worth \$10.00, special 7.50 Ladies' Jackets



customers and divided into four lots, at four popular prices. Lot 1 will be cups and saucers of French, Austrian and English china in neat decorations, gold traced and stippled, some with gold handles, worth from 40c. to 50c, your choice at... 25c Lot 2, worth from 75c, to 50c \$1.00, your choice at... Lot 3, worth from \$1.00 75c to \$1.50, your choice at .. 75c Lot 4, worth from \$1.50 1.00 to \$3.00, your choice at 1.00 Your special attention is called to our extensive line of Holiday novel-ties in Marbles, Bronzes, Cut Glass, Bohemian Glass and Bric-a-Brac, collected from all

countries, and here offered at prices fully one-third less than of Bronzes, French Gilt Figures,
Royal Bonn, Sevres, Royal
Vienna and other popular ware in

Our stock is now at high-water your choice Half Price

"But Two Weeks to Xmas."

Men's and Boys' Winter Clothing
at about half actual values. The great sale of the wholesale stocks of
Messrs. Garson, Meyer & Co., of Rochester, N. Y., and Isidor Kaufman &
Co., of New York City, bought at about half actual wholesale values, is
now entering upon its second successful week. No matter what kind of an
ordering against you want on what were prepared to pay for it outside garment you want, or what you are prepared to pay for it, we can suit you, and you'll find an almost unlimited range from which to choose.

Assortments and sizes are still complete, but an early selection is recommended. Just note some of the low prices at which we are selling this fine in foreign and domestic markets.

clothing: Boys' Suits or Reefers, worth 2.50 Boys' Suits or Overcoats, worth 3.50 Boys' Suits or Overcoats, worth 4.50 | 59, at...... 4.50 | Youths' Suits, worth \$7.50 3.75 Youths' Suits or Overcoats, 5.00 Young Men's Suits or Overcoats, worth 6.50

coats, worth 7.50 Men's Suits or Overcoats, worth 9.50 Men's Suits or Overcoats, worth 11.50

Men's Trousers, worth 2.00 Men's Trousers, worth 3.00

"But Two Weeks to Xmas." 2100

Wines and Liquors. Silk Department. The world's best and purest—at prices that will not buy SUCH quality at any other store in the land.

Silks are among the choicest and richest of all dress materials, and are admirably adapted for Christ
Mandolins.

Edward & John Burke's Rottling genuine Guinness's Stout. 7.39
Imported, per doz..... 7.39

(Only one dozen to a customer.)
Martini and Rossi
Vermouth, per bottle. 45c
Mar(ell genuine Threestar Brandy,
imported in glass, 1.35

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[IN THE BLACK SILK SECTION,
Black Gros Grain, two very special numbers, 22 in st

(Only two bottles to a customer.) Creme de Menthe, 59c St. Julien, a fine California claret, per dozen quart bottles.. 2.35

Pontet Canet, shipped from Armand Freres, Bordeaux, France, per 6.00 Deidesheimer, an imported Rhine Wine, per case, quarts..... 6,00

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Friar's Brand Santerne, a fine quality of California Santerne, equal to many imported Haut Santerne, per doz. qts...

Fine Old Paie Sherry and Oporto Port, rich and of high character, and fine, per gal...

High-grade, very old, imported Port and Amontifindo Sherry, per gal, \$4.00 and

Pennsylvania Ryc

Pennsylvania Rye Whiskey, per gal. 1.85 Maryland Rye Whiskey, per gal., 2.00

Monday at, per yard Black Velour Du Nord, wide, a fine, close silk pile good black; cost \$1.50 per to import; on sale to-morrow at, per yard... Black Velour Du Nord, 32 in. wide, a fine, close silk pile and good black; cost \$1.50 per yard to import; on sale to- 75c morrow at, per yard... 75c

Black Gros Grain, two very special numbers, 22 in. at 98c. per yard, and 24 1.25

(These prices are fully 20 per cent below regular values.)

Black Satin Duchess, 22 in.

wide, all pure silk, soft and pli-able in finish, guaranteed to wear

equal to anything we ever retailed at \$1.25 per yard; here to-morrow at 98c

Black Taffeta, American made,

good variety of staple dress shades; originally cost 90c. per

yard, in many shades of brown.

blue, green, tan and purple; your choice, while the lot lasts, Monday at, per yard 50c



bring the supreme test of the store organization. All year long we search out the weak spots-perfecting the system that keeps 3,000 to 4,000 clerks and half a thousand delivery wagons working as if they were but one piece of machinery-so that when the Xmas rush comes we may be able to rise to the occasion and give our patrons satisfactory service. We

Break and Butter, Tea, Dessert, Dessert, Breakfast and Dinner Plates, in English, German and French china, worth from 40c to 25c

Another assertment, principally assertment,

The stores will be crowded from now on—your personal safety must not be overlooked—and was not lost sight of when this store

THE BIG STORE IS FIRE PROOF, being the only large store in New York enjoying this distinction

New Hampshire, Maine, Massachusetts, Vermont, Rhode Island, Pennsylvania, and New Jersey. New York,



more than 2,500 garmore than perfect in fit, of best of workman-ship, with Skinner's and Givernaud's Taffeta and satin linings. Every style, in every size and color or black. Tables upon tables filled with these jackets, and the price for choice 9.75

Vases, Ornaments, etc., all very mark, and it is certainly a wonder-appropriate for Holiday gifts, lection,



Men's Suits or Overstore, "Better Goods for the Same Money, or the Same Goods for Men's Suits or Over-Less Money than Elsewhere."

To-morrow's special offering consists of a lot of 400 Umbrellas all silk serge and Union taffeta silk, in the popular 26 and 28 inch sizes, close rolling, cases and tassels, a choice assortment of handles for men and women, includ-ing such goods as 7-inch pearl with silver overlay, tinted horns with sterling caps, ebony, fine "But Two Weeks to Xmas." and natural woods, plain and

Musical

Mandolins, 9 rib maple with interlaid holly strips plate...... 1.45 Mandolins, 21 ribs, alternate maple and rose-wood, inlaid shell guard plate, inlaid edge, pearl position dots nickel head,

hand polished, 3.75 value \$6.50... 3.75 Mandolin, with 23 solid rosewood ribs, solid rosewood ribs, pearl inlaid guard plate, sound hole edge and position Violin Outfits, all complete with violin, bow, rosin, strings and case, at prices ranging up 2.50 Honer Harmonicas, 15c Metallaphones, 12-key, with in-

struction book and 2 25c Umbrella Music 39c Columbia Zither, No. 2: has 31 strings, key of C, 4 groups of chords; ebony finish; list price \$3.75, 1.58 Crank Music Boxes

at 25c, 45c, 75c, 95c We have a complete stock of Violins, Ban-jos, Guitars and Man-dolins, also Olympia Round-Disc American-made Music

Household Goods

can't afford luxuries—and there is just as much, if not more, pleas—just as much, if not more, pleas—presenting her with one of our pretty Eiderdown Robes? Quality canter, and there is just as much, if not more, pleas—presenting her with one of our pretty Eiderdown Robes? Quality canter, and there is just as much, if not more, pleas—presenting her with one of our pretty Eiderdown Robes? Quality canter, and there is just as much, if not more, pleas—presenting her with one of our pretty Eiderdown Robes? Quality canter, and there is just as much, if not more, pleas—presenting her with one of our pretty Eiderdown Robes? Quality canter, and there is just as much, if not more, pleas—presenting her with one of our pretty Eiderdown Robes? Quality canter, and there is just as much, if not more, pleas—presenting her with one of our pretty Eiderdown Robes? Quality canter, and there is just as much, if not more, pleas—presenting her with one of our pretty Eiderdown Robes? Quality canter, and there is just as much, if not more, pleas—presenting her with one of our pretty Eiderdown Robes? Quality can be in a mere trinket. Let us suggest a few good things:

Bissell's Carpet Sweeper,"The has double action dumping pan, best quali-ty brush, warranted.... 1. 70 Crumb Brush and Tray, nicely decorated in assorted 19c



nets made of hard wood, in oak finish and highly polished, Japanned iron shoe rests, the \$1.65 1.20 Sabatier Knives of best French solid steel and fully war-ranted: 11-inch size.... 40c Gas Radiators, strongly made, 4 large Russia iron tubes, double

burners in bronze 1.90 finish..... 1.90 Drums for Oil or Gas Heating Stoves, can be used on most any kind of stove; give large 30c excellent cooker and baker.



mings, large size oven, duplex grate, large fire 9.00 Crown Raisin Seeders, take stones out of raisins perfectly, strong and durable, regularly 50c., special at 19

sterling mounted; values ranging from \$3 to \$4; here to-morrow, choice at..... 2.00 Rugs for holiday gifts, and we admire the good sense of the people "But Two Weeks to Xmas," who buy them. One cannot have too many Rugs, and they make a splendid showing, compared with their moderate cost. Why not buy "her" a rug?

Wilton Rugs, handsome Oriental styles and colorings, 9x12 feet, value 28.50

8 ft. 3 in. x 10 ft. 6 14. 75 of Furs, in., value \$20.00, at.. 14. 75 36 inches by 72 inches, value \$3.75, at.... 2.95 9x12 feet, value 19.25 \$25,00, at...... 19.25 734x1034 feet, value 13.50 6x9 feet, value \$15.00, 9.00

Ingrain Art Rugs, at about onehalf the usual selling prices: 2x3 yards, value 2.50 1.80 2½x3 yards, value 3.00 2.25 3x3 yards, value 3.50 2.70 3x3½ yards, value 4.50 3.15 3x4 yards, value 5.00 3.60 3x5 yards, value 6.00 4.50

Imperial Axminster Rugs, carpet sizes only, copies of fine Oriental Rugs: 8 ft. 3 in. by 10 ft. 6 in... 35.00 9 ft. by 12 ft 40.00 1,000 Hassocks, made from Brussels, Velyet and Axminster carpets and thoroughly well made; value 50c. each, to-mer-row at half price...... 25c

"But Two Weeks to Xmas." 'But Two Weeks to Xmas."

Make very good Xmas gifts, particularly for people to whom money IS an object. Everybody can't afford luxuries—and there is her comfortable and happy by values this week:



plain ripples, with applique collar 5.00 Regular \$12.75 Elderdown Robes, in plain ripple, with

Roasting Pans, double 32c row the following splendid values: size, 12x17...... 32c Fascinators, in white or 72 Fascinators, in white or 12c Black Sateen Skirts, of a good quality, with domet flannel lin-ings, umbrella flounce, trimmed

Cooking Stoves, "Our Navy," "But Two Weeks to Xmas."

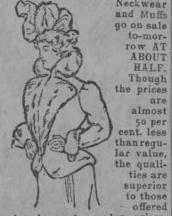
Pertumes, &c. Mirror, in a box, worth 98c Atomizer and Puff Box, in a fancy lined Infants' Comb and Brush Sets of Ebony, silver



Sterling Silver Mounted Whisk Brooms, each...... 49c Pinaud's Violette Reine, per bottle 1.10 Pinaud's Carnation Pink Set -perfume, powder and 3.00 soap, in a fancy box.. Bradley's Woodland Violets, 2 bottles in a box 75c

8 ft. 3 in. x 10 ft. 6 25.00 "But Two Weeks to Xmas."

Axminster Rugs, the kind that wears well, 9x12 feet, value \$25.00, at.... 18.75 Thousands of Pieces Neckwear



offered elsewhere at regular prices. Large cash purchases from manufacturers pressed for ready money made this sale

Scarfs at \$2.90, \$3.90, \$5.00 and \$7.50 which should sell at \$5.00 to \$12.50. Fluffs at \$1.90, \$2.90, \$5.00 and \$10.00 which should sell tor \$3.50 to \$20.00.

Scarfs, full length, head, paws and large tail, value \$14.00, at \$8.75.

Eiderdown Robes. In the Upholstery

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Table Covers in profusion at prices that court your patronage:

1 yard square. 39c, 69c and 1.10 1 1/2 yds. square 69c, 1.25 and 2.75 2yds. square 1.25, 2.50 and 3.25 2x21/2 yds. 1.75, 3.00 and 4.25 2x3 yds....2.25, 3 90 and 5,25 150 Odd Pairs Lace Curtains, almost every imaginable style, only a few pairs of any one design, and for that reason only offered also for Monday at Half Price. Regular \$1.50 Nottingham

Lace Curtains, per 95c Regular \$3.50 Notting ham If you wish us to hold any article se-Regular \$5.00 Nottingham do so, proceeded a small deposit is made at the time of selection. Lace Curtains, per 3.35 Regular \$4.00 Irish Point Lace Curtains, per 2.95 Curtains, per 4.65 Regular \$9,25 Irish Point Lace Curtains, per 7.40 Real Renaissance Lace Curtains, one to five pair lots, at below import cost; prices range

with corded or tucked ruffles, worth from \$1.00 to \$1.25; 79c Deeply Cut.
\$3.75 Bagdad Portiers, per pair, reduced 2.95 \$6.50 Armure Portieres

Ster- "But Two Weeks to Xmas." Mani- A Sale of Ladies Pieces Suits at \$9.75.



made in styles, such as you would order to be made up specialdouble-breasted, single-breasted, fly front, tight fitting, single or double breasted jackets and habit, demi-habit or plaited back skirts also some tunic effects. All the shades of gray, black, blue, brown, mode, Oxford, wine, royal and many fancy weaves are represented in this sale.

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ties are Why Not Have to those Your Picture Taken

The Piatinotype, our finest cabinet photograph, size 4x6, on Melton mounts 7x9 inches, cannot be duplicated elsewhere under \$12.00 per dozen, you 6.00 (See samples in the Photo Gallery on the 7th Floor.)

Portrait Frames should be selected as early as possible, as the best we have in stock are being bought up rapidly. They are all very reasonable in price. De-liveries made to any address, at THE BIG STORE WILL !! A CITY IN ITSELF ISTAUPSTS.

"But Two Weeks to Xmas."

In the Jewelry Department. "Tis plate of rare device; and jewels of rich and exquisite

form; their values great."-Shakespeare.

Shakespeare's words fittingly describe the magnificent Holiday display of our Jewelry Department. From it you can select a Xmas gift for young or old of either sex that will be sure to please. And such a selection will cost you infinitely less here than elsewhere. Another thing you must not have a selection and the control of the cont overlook is that you take no risk of any sort by purchasing here. You do not have to be an expert, as anything you buy is returnable. And as we warrant everything we sell to be just as we say it is—a child can buy here as safely as the best expert in the country. Varieties are simply enormous. There is nothing you can think of in the jewelry line that you won't find here in almost inexhaustible assortment.





COLD knives, curiers darners &c., from 25c. to..... 2.00

Sterling Silver Match Safes at from 89c. 6.00 10..... Sterling Silver Stamp Boxes at from 48s, 2.00 Sterling Silver Cigarette Cases at from \$3.75 16.75 Sterling Silver Chain Bracelets, with lock and key, for children, at from 48c. 1.25 Sterling Silver Chain Bracelets at from 98c, 5.00

Lace Curtains, per 2.40 ledect for a Christmas present we will pair



Plated Gold, Silver and Oxydized Shopping Bags 5.00 at from \$1.25 to 5.00 CLOCKS.



Handsome Porcelain 8-Day Clocks, at prices ranging from 3.95 to 95.00

Enamelled Iron Clocks, 8-day (hour and half-hour strike), at from 3.75 to 15.00 Rich Gold Novelty Clocks, 8day and 1-day, at 45.00 from \$2.50 to..... Bronze Clocks, all 8-day (hour and half hour strike on cathedral gong), at from 88.40 63.00 Aigrettes, set with fine imported

siones, at from \$1.48 3.75 Real Shell Hair Combs, fancy back and Empirestyles, 9.00 at from 98c to 9.00

"But Two Weeks to Xmas."

Mocha Gloves, all MEN'S GLOVES. sizes, in gray or tan.



Dent's Walking Gloves, in all grades. Driving Gloves, in fur, buck and dogskin; also beaver, mink, coney and seal gauntiers, a fine collection, ranging 2.25 to 15.00

A magnificent stock to LADIES' GLOVES. choose from : 2-Clasp English Walkper pair, reduced 6.25

Regular \$16.50 Irish Point Lace
Curtains, per 12.25

\$18.00 All-Silk Portieres, per pair, reduced 13.75

But Two Weeks to Xmas."

per pair, according to qualify, 980., \$1.19 and 2.00

Mocha Gloves, silk lined, in choice grays and 2.00

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archive finish Point Lace
Curtains, per pair, \$1.50 and 3.20

commend, in white, tan, brown, black, &c., at, per 1.00

pair. The Rouillon, in glace or suede, a splendid 1.75

glove, per pair

CHILDREN'S GLOVES. | We provided ones, and they can

ones, and they can have their wants satisfied here if anywhere, To-mortow's special offering consists of A Fine Line of Unlined Gloves, plain or with

fur tops, at prices ranging from, per pair, 50c. to 1, 25 The products of every land and clime are here Groceries.

The products of every an in such quantities as to at your command, and in such quantities as to make us most anxious to part with some of

from our them at attractive prices. Here's for Monday: Flour: Hazel Minnesota or Siegel-Geoper Company's XXXX Patent, guaranteed to be made from the finest Minnesota Wheat, bbl., \$4.45, per 38 sack 570 Provisions: Armour's Sugar Cured Ham or English cured lean strip Breakfast Bacon, per 1b.... 10/20 Lard: Open kettie rendered Leaf Lard, in 5 and 10 lb. pails, per 1b..... 80 Fruit: Choice Sweet Florida Oranges, per doz 40s Spices: Pepper, Ginger, Mustard, Cloves and Allspice, fresh ground daily, guaranteed absolutely pure, per lb...... 190 Tea: Our own importation, new season choicest early picking, Formesa Oolong, Moyune Teas, Basket Fired Japan. English Breakfast, India and Ceylon Teas, packed in foil lined caddies, per 5 lbs. \$2.10, per lb.... 45e

Coffee: Our famous Mecha and Java Coffees, a most delightful aroma, rich, full flavor, per 4 lbs. \$1.00; per lb..... 28c Choice fresh roasted Santos, per 10 lbs., \$1.50; per lb..... 16c Canned Vegatables: Quinton Brand, Extra Selected hand packed, red-ripe Jersey Tomatoes, Hazel Marrowfat peas, of uniform size, delicious, natural flavor, or Lilac Brand Fancy Maine Sugar Corn, per doz., \$1,25; per can 11c High Grade Brand California Asparagus, large white fully ma-tured stalks, per doz., \$2,85: per Prairie Flower Brand Creamy Succotash, per doz., \$1.05; per can...... 9c

Pumpkin: Old Virginia Ple Pumpkin, 3 lb. can, all prepared for the old fashioned, home made ple, per doz, \$1.40; per can. 12c Canned Fruits: Royal Red Brand Extra California Bartlett Pears, Lemon Cling or Yellow Crawford Peaches, Green Gages. choicest California Fruit, per doz, Canned Fish: Imported French Sardines, in oil, per can10c Columbia River Salmon Steaks, è-lb. flat cans, per can 10c., per Cereals: Cook's Flaked Rice, per pkgonnanenenenenen 13c (A beautiful Christmas Doll given free with two packages!)
Oat Flakes, Granulated Hominy,
or Golden Grain Yellow Corn Meal, 10 lbs 25c Fancy Fresh Desiccated Co

connut, per lb 10" Raisins: New Crop 1899 large loose Muscatel Raisins, bright color, or genuine English Cleanedt Currants, per lb 10c Peel: Citron, Lemon or Orange per gallon...... 1.05 Dates: Fanoy Hallowi Dates, 1-lb. packages, this season's crop; per package 10c Figs: Choice four crown Smyrna Figs, 2 lbs. 25c Nuts: 100,000 lbs, Fanoy Mixed Nuts, this season's crop, 1899, Lion Soap, 100 cakes to bex, regu-lar wholesale price \$2.65 our price per box 1.95 Five pound package best Laundry